ABSTRACT

An interface layer, also referred to as a synchronization-CDS bridge, automatically provides a first set of update information to a Content Directory Service (CDS) regarding any content received by a first media server during a data synchronization process. The interface layer also provides a second set of update information to a synchronization application regarding any content newly added to the first media server subsequent to a last data synchronization. The interface layer discovers the second set of update information provided to the synchronization application from the CDS. The second set of update information is used by the synchronization application to select the newly added content during a next data synchronization.